



West Lafayette Go Greener Commission  
609 West Navajo Street  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

## **West Lafayette Go Greener Commission Meeting**

Minutes of Regularly Scheduled Commission Meeting

Thursday, December 4, 2014, 6:30 PM

West Lafayette Public Library

Attending: Lindsey Payne; Spencer Evans; Thom Davis; Katherine Maziarski; James Britton; Bill Arthur; Parr Durr

Absentees: Andrew Tuholski; Tom Voight; Peter Bunder; Allen Jacobsen

Others: Dave Henderson

### **Agenda**

- I. Spencer: Call to order & introductions, 6:32 PM
- II. Spencer: Rain Barrel
  - a. Spencer - group working on erosion at Happy Hollow Park, would be good to get them involved for the implementation part for the Happy Hollow neighborhood
  - b. James – road project just approved along with a multi-use path/trail
  - c. Lindsey – we should model program off of Lafayette and work with WREC; we could do a workshop for the launch and get a few houses to let us install, have the mayor there
  - d. Spencer – there are a lot of groups to work with at Purdue if we want to have more installation crews
  - e. Lindsey – we can also have a Go Greener installation crew
  - f. Spencer – how will we advertise?
  - g. Lindsey – neighborhood associations seem like a good start and going and doing an education/outreach program
  - h. James – New Chauncey neighborhood association is pretty active so that is a good start, Ann Hunt is active in hers
  - i. Thom – use door knockers to advertise—cheap and easy
  - j. Parr – I know the Wabash Shores
  - k. Spencer – people don't know what to do with the water in the barrel, so education is key
  - l. Lindsey – good site for educational materials -<http://www.tippeconow.com/options.php>, need to get whole package like what Lafayette has—stand and diverter, rain barrel installation guide,  
[http://www.tippeconow.com/pdf/Illustrated\\_Rain\\_Barrel\\_Installation\\_Guide.pdf](http://www.tippeconow.com/pdf/Illustrated_Rain_Barrel_Installation_Guide.pdf)
  - m. Bill – would city be interested in setting some up as demo? **We can ask the mayor, will Peter ask**
  - n. Lindsey – do this on Earth Day, April 22, W



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- o. Thom – Can we simplify and make it a pay and then someone delivers and installs all at once
  - p. James – would like to see a stormwater credit if you have rain barrel installed
  - q. Thom – we might look at industry for partnerships if the parks department doesn't work
  - r. James – maybe target some management companies for install, Barry Ruben's property on Wiggins
  - s. Spencer – unit management by Evergreen Rentals
- III. Spencer: Approval of minutes from November
  - a. Thom motions, James seconds, approved
- IV. Spencer: Adjournment
  - a. Lindsey motions to adjourn, Spencer seconds, adjournment, 7:30 PM

Next meeting January 8, 2014, 6:30 PM!

Recorded by Lindsey Payne and submitted to Spencer Evans on December 4, 2014.

Approved November minutes submitted to Betina Cochran on December 4, 2014.